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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Recommendations on Capitol Hill Security

1. Yesterday, [redacted] from the Office of Security and I met with John Paul Joyal, SSCI security officer, and John Nelson, SSCI staffer to discuss a series of recommendations we have developed to improve technical and physical security on the Hill. John Nelson has been the staffer, acting on behalf to Chaiman Boren, who has actively sought our help in improving security for the entire Capitol environment.

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2. The recommendations, which focus on enhancing the role of the Capitol Hill Police, were strongly endorsed by Nelson. He indicated that if the police are willing to accept the role defined for them and will commit themselves to implementing the recommendations we will go a long way to fixing a serious problem. He did suggest that we talk with the HPSCI staff to gain their support. I am now seeking to inform the HPSCI staff through either Bernie Toon or Tom Smeeton. With their approval, we can send our recommendations to Jack Russ, Chairman of the Capitol Hill Police Board.

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